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I wqould report the compounds with no legal interpretation. And leave it up to the da

From: Piro, Peter (DPH)

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To: Nassif, Julianne (DPH)

Subject: MDPV

Hi Julie,

We possibly have methylenedioxy pyrovalerone (MDPV), one of the bath salts. DEA Diversion considers it an analog of MDEA (Sch 1). I have three questions.

- 1. How should we be reporting Federally Scheduled 1 Drugs that do not appear in Mass. Laws? i.e.- Benzylpiperazine
- 2. How should we report Schedule 1 analogs? i.e. MDPV
- 3. Is this addressed anywhere in our Controlled Substance Act? The Massachusetts Class E section only mentions prescription drugs other than those included in Classes A, B, C, D, and E subsection.

Thanks Peter